

HA-387

Carr-Thomas House
1139 Boyd Road
Ady vicinity
Private

ca. 1880

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Carr-Thomas House

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

1139 Boyd Road

CITY, TOWN

Ady

☒ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

1st

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Harford

3 CLASSIFICATION**CATEGORY**☐ DISTRICT☒ BUILDING(S)☐ STRUCTURE☐ SITE☐ OBJECT**OWNERSHIP**☐ PUBLIC☒ PRIVATE☐ BOTH**PUBLIC ACQUISITION**☐ IN PROCESS☐ BEING CONSIDERED☒ not applicable**STATUS**☒ OCCUPIED☐ UNOCCUPIED☐ WORK IN PROGRESS**ACCESSIBLE**☒ YES: RESTRICTED☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED☐ NO**PRESENT USE**☐ AGRICULTURE☐ MUSEUM☐ COMMERCIAL☐ PARK☐ EDUCATIONAL☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE☐ ENTERTAINMENT☐ RELIGIOUS☐ GOVERNMENT☐ SCIENTIFIC☐ INDUSTRIAL☐ TRANSPORTATION☐ MILITARY☐ OTHER**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Genevieve B. Thomas et al.

Telephone #: 836-1245

STREET & NUMBER

1139 Boyd Road

CITY, TOWN

Street

☐ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

MD 21154

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Harford County Courthouse

Liber #: 708

Folio #: 304

STREET & NUMBER

20 West Courtland St.

CITY, TOWN

Bel Air

STATE

MD

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

4-237

CONDITION

☐ EXCELLENT ☐ DETERIORATED
☒ GOOD ☐ RUINS
☐ FAIR ☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☐ UNALTERED
☒ ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE
☐ MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Carr-Thomas House is a two-story frame house with a shed porch and a central gable, built about 1880 on the south side of Boyd Road about 1/8 mile east of Ady Road (Maryland Route 543) near Ady, Harford County, Maryland. The main elevation faces west. The house is located at the end of an access drive about 100 yards south of Boyd Road.

The main elevation has three bays with a center entrance. The center gable has a small Gothic-arched window. The shed porch has turned columns and scroll-sawn brackets. The gable ends of the main section have two bays; the south gable end has an irregular window arrangement.

At the rear of the house is a two-story wing with shed additions on the south in the angle between the main section and wing. The foundation is stone and the roof is slate. The original siding was probably clapboard, but is now aluminum. Brick interior end chimneys are located in the main section.

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8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW				
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		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION				

SPECIFIC DATES ca. 1880

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Carr-Thomas House is a fair example of a late 19th century farmhouse in Harford County. Although covered with aluminum siding, it retains much of the details and form of its original construction.

The house may have been a tenant house on the Carr property, which was much larger than the present parcel of the Carr-Thomas House.

Note: Survey number HA-387 was originally assigned to the Moxley-Silver Barn. Information on this structure has been consolidated under HA-385, John A. Silver House Site.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE _____ COUNTY _____

STATE _____ COUNTY _____

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Janet L. Davis, Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Harford County Dept. of Planning and Zoning

DATE

June 1983

STREET & NUMBER

45 So. Main St.

TELEPHONE

(301) 838-6000, ext. 207

CITY OR TOWN

Bel Air

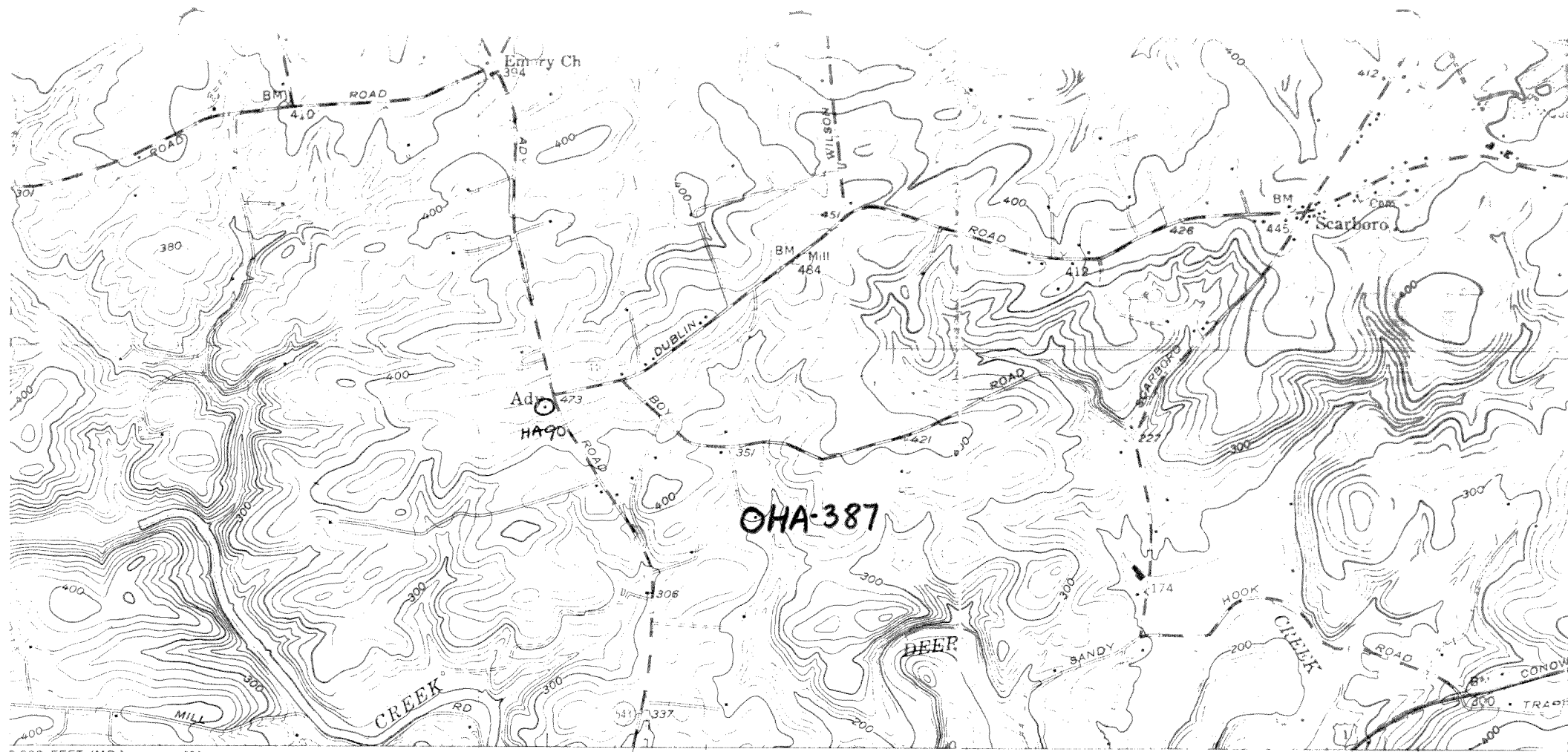
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MD 21014

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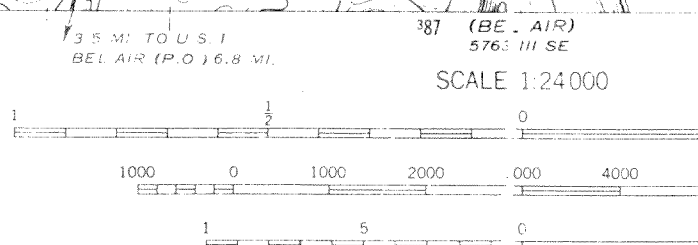
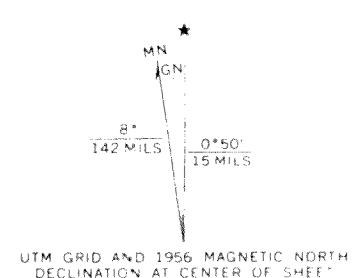
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The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438



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CONTOUR INTERVAL 20 FEET
DATUM IS MEAN SEA LEVEL

Carr-Thomas House HA-387
Harford County
USGS 7.5 minute series
Delta, Md.-Pa. Quadrangle
Scale: 1:24000



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Carr-Thomas House
Harford County
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June 1983
West elevation
1/2

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Carr-Thomas House
Harford County
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South elevation
2/2

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